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The current settlement is not sufficient to keep Microsoft from continuing its predatory practices with regards to companies that compete against it. Without further restrictions Microsoft will continue to incorporate more functionality within the OS itself strangling any competition.

As a monopoly allows Microsoft to continue producing low-quality, bloated, over-priced software that benefits no one except them.

Sufficient judgements would be to split Microsoft into two companies (operating system and applications), open the source of the operating system itself, force Microsoft to document all application programming interfaces and file formats, or all of the aforementioned remedies.

Sincerely,

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